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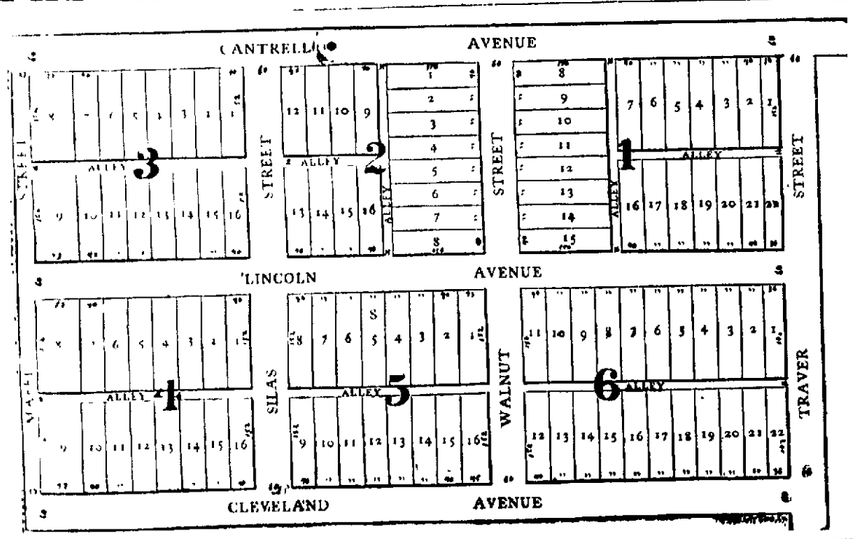


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## FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

—If the brass top of a kerosene lamp has come off, it may be repaired with plaster of Paris, wet with a little water.

—In using carbolic acid as an insecticide one part of the acid to one hundred parts water is the correct proportion. It may be freely sprinkled on all kinds of plants.—*Troy Times.*

—Fig Candy.—One cupful of sugar; three-fourths cupful of water; one-fourth teaspoonful of cream tartar. Do not stir while boiling. Boil to amber color, stir in cream tartar just before taking from the fire. Wash figs, open, and lay in a dish. Pour the candy over.—*Troy Times.*

—There is usually great waste in feeding soft corn, by which is included the nubbins, having more or less sound grain on them. If thrown to hogs, as is usually done, the nutriment in the cob is lost, and there is a good deal of it where the corn is not fully matured. If put up in narrow bins, made with slats so that air can circulate through them, they will soon dry out. Cows will eat them, cobs and all.—*N. Y. Witness.*

—Suet Pudding.—One cupful of suet chopped fine, sprinkle a little flour over it to prevent it from sticking together; two and one half cupfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, one cupful of apples chopped finely, one cupful of raisins, three eggs, white and yolks beaten separately, one teaspoon each of cinnamon and cloves, one-half cup of molasses. Steam or boil two hours. Serve with sauce.—*Indianapolis Sentinel.*

—In a recent analysis of cotton seed and linseed meals the following was the result: Cotton seed contained of water 8.39 per cent., ash 7.10, protein 45.03, crude fiber 8.20, carbo-hydrates 20.20, fats 11.08; linseed contained of water 8.93 per cent., ash 6.21, protein 33.08, crude fiber 10.87, carbo-hydrates 33.11, fats 9.85. This shows the cotton seed to be richer in nitrogenous matter, while the linseed contains a larger amount of sugar and starch.

## THE CROTON BUG.

**Habits of the Disgusting Roaches, and How to Exterminate Them.**

The scientific name of this insect is Blatta Germanica. It is of the same family as the cockroach, but differs from that most pestiferous insect in being smaller, of lighter color and in not emitting a foul smelling liquid when alarmed. It also seems to have much less liking for food. The cockroaches will take possession of a pantry and get into every kind of food left uncovered, especially sweet and sirupy food, but the croton bug prefers the proximity of the sink, and seems to have no particular liking for any food but flour, bread or other starchy substances. The insect has been known to naturalists in England for some time, and they say it was first brought to that country by Australian vessels. The insect is now identified with the field roach, which in warm countries lives out of doors, in moist wooded places. In northern latitudes, however, it seeks a seeks a home in doors, in kitchens and libraries, and though the true field roach is a yellow insect, the branch of the family that has taken up domestic life has assumed a reddish-brown hue. The insect first appeared in New York City shortly after the building of the Croton water works, and from its fondness for the neighborhood of the water pipes, it was believed to have come with the water. It is now a well-known pest in all American cities where water works are in existence, the water pipes giving the bugs convenient means of access to all houses and parts of houses, and their shy habits and enormous powers of reproduction making their extermination a thing impossible. The bug has a flat and oval body, with thorax shield-shaped and antennæ long and thread-like. It is amazingly prolific, as we have said. Its eggs are laid in a sac, about one-fourth of an inch long and one-eighth wide, in which thirty small eggs are packed closely like peas in a pod. The female deposits this in a warm place, in a crack of a board usually, where it is secure from molestation. At the end of twenty-four or thirty hours she tears the sac open with her feelers, and loosens the membranous covering of the egg, when the young come forth fully formed. Owing to the shyness of this insect naturalists have found difficulty in studying its habits and housewives find its destruction demands constant research and vigilance. Every crack in the neighborhood of stove or sink gives it opportunity to flee from the destructive scrubbing-brush and a secure refuge in which to rear its numerous progeny. It has a decided fondness for libraries, where books and papers give abundant opportunity to its hiding instinct, and where it is said to do much damage to cloth-bound volumes by eating the starchy sizing in their covers. Leather-bound books it will not touch. As to means of extermination, the powder of the pyrethum, also called Persian insect powder, blown into the haunts and favorite crevices of the insect with a bellows or powder-gun, is probably the most effectual means. It is not poisonous, it simply strangles the insect. An old roach may need two or three doses of the powder, but the first whiff of it is instant death to the young ones. Borax powder and sugar is also said to destroy these bugs, and another remedy against them, recently announced, is a paste made of phosphorus and starch. They are said to be so fond of this that they will not only devour every bit they can find, but will tear up the bodies of others to secure the share already swallowed, and thus exterminate themselves.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*


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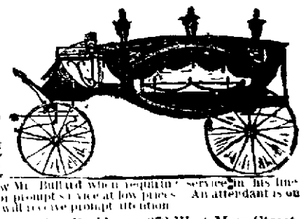

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Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of West Main street, from the east side of Church street west to the city limits, by grading, gravelling, guttering and paving with brick, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council March 21, 1887, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Ill., from the date hereof, until 4 o'clock p. m. of the 18th day of June, 1887, for the labor, and for the materials of said improvement, and for the entire improvement, including labor and materials. All bids, when received, will be submitted to the city council for its action. The assessments for the paving of the above named street are to be paid by installments as provided by the revised act of the legislature.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.

Decatur, Ill., May 13, 1887 dtd


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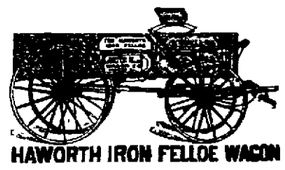

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DECATUR, ILL.


**Assignee's Notice.**

Estate of Thomas J. Abel and James R. Locke, doing business as Abel & Locke, debtors.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that Thomas J. Abel and James R. Locke, doing business as Abel & Locke, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, did on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1886, transfer to the undersigned, as Assignee, all their property, real and personal, for the benefit of their creditors, according to the provisions of the act concerning assignments. All persons having claims against the said Abel & Locke are hereby notified to present such claims, under oath or affirmation, to me, at the city of Decatur, in said county, within three months from this date. J. W. RAGE, Assignee.

Dated May 29, 1887. d6w


**John A. Brown,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW

And Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill

Office over Linn & Scruggs' dry goods store Entrance from court house stairway.



**DR. A. S. WALTE,**

—DENTIST.—

Office over Barber & Baker's shoe store, East Main Street, Decatur, Ill.

# DAILY REPUBLICAN.

R. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Prop'r's.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter

MONDAY EVE., JUNE 6, 1887.


### Let Us Have Faith.

The future of Decatur rests entirely with the people. Whether it shall grow and thrive, or whether it shall stop and stand still depends altogether upon the temper and actions of the people whose interests are here. A handful of energetic, active, pushing, enterprising men can do a great deal, but their efforts can be neutralized by the apathy or indifference of the masses. The history of all the thriving towns and cities of the country shows one fact standing out prominently in all of them, and that is the determination of the *whole people* to spare no effort to build up and promote the interests of the place. There must be a unity of purpose and no croaking. There must be a willingness upon the part of the people to invest their own money in enterprises calculated to build up the town, because until they show such a spirit they cannot hope to induce outsiders to come to their assistance. All the live, growing cities of the country have another feature in common, they are all characterized by a faith in their own advantages. Faith begets faith, and it is not very difficult to get others to believe what we show them we ourselves earnestly believe. A revival inside the church, among its own members, is always a prerequisite to a religious awakening among the unbelievers. Therefore, if we want Decatur to grow, to increase in business and population and wealth we must show to those whom we would influence that we believe implicitly in our own superior resources and advantages and we must be willing to put up our own accumulated dollars to show the faith that is in us. We must believe, we must talk, we must unite, we must put up our means to help along every good movement that will tend to add to our importance and increase in prosperity. And it is not the work of a day, either. It must be kept up perseveringly, without intermission, and with a single end in view.

HON. WM. A. WHEELER, ex-vice president of the United States, died at his home in Malone, N. Y., on Saturday, in the 68th year of his age. He had been an invalid for several years.

### The Great State of Illinois.

*Springfield Journal.* While Illinois is capable of sustaining a larger population than any other state in proportion to its superficial area, it naturally follows that its soil is intrinsically more valuable than that of any other. Its location in the heart of the continent, between two of the most important navigable streams on the west and south, and adjacent to the lake system on the north, with the largest city west on the Atlantic seaboard within its limits and the second interior city of the Union on its western border, and with a surface checkered with more miles of railroads than any other state of the Union, it offers to day stronger inducements for the investment of capital and expenditure of well directed labor, with surer promise of adequate return than any other state in the Union.

NEW YORK *Tribune.* It was said to be merely a chance coincidence that the date selected for formally opening the Brooklyn bridge four years ago was also the anniversary of Queen Victoria's birthday. In like manner it may be the result of accident that Her Majesty has this year chosen the Fourth of July as the date for laying the corner stone of the Imperial Institute. If so it is a happy chance. The great institution that is to symbolize the unity and perpetuity of the British Empire is to be founded on the very day that commemorates the signing of what was supposed to be that Empire's death warrant!

PHILADELPHIA *Press.* There is nothing on earth like New Jersey luck. Here at one end the Pennsylvania marriage licence law is driving thousands of couples and barrels of money over into Camden and other Jersey towns, where marriage certificates range in price all the way from three for a quarter to five dollars apiece, while up at the other end the enforcement of the Sunday laws in New York every week drives an army of thirsty patron across the lines to Jersey City and Hoboken, where beer and whisky are ready for all who can produce the cash. In the case of a state like New Jersey it is better to be lucky and adjacent to states like New York and Pennsylvania than to be born rich.

PEORIA *Transcript.* The Hon. James G. Blaine has been interviewed. He does not say whether he will or will not be a candidate for the Republican nomination for President next year, but we are led to believe that if the nomination is offered to him he will not decline. We also believe that if he wants the nomination his chances of securing it are about as good as those of Grover Cleveland for securing the Democratic nomination. His absence from the country would make little difference. There is no man in the United States whose friends stick closer to him than do the friends of James G. Blaine. His lieutenants are found in every State in the Union.

THE people as a mass seldom make mistakes. This accounts for the large demand for Dr. Bigelow's Positive (cough) Cure. It has given such perfect satisfaction that some druggists offer an imitation on which they make a larger profit. Beware of both the imitation and the druggist, both will cheat you. The genuine is sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner and will promptly and safely cure coughs, colds, and all throat and lung diseases. Price 50c. b4

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# BY TELEGRAPH.

## O'BRIEN DENOUNCED.

### Bitter Feeling Among Working-Men Against the Editor of United Ireland.

### Explanation of Secretary George C. McQuade, Who was the Chief Cause of the Trouble.

### Lengthy Statement of Editor O'Brien---A Soft Answer Intended to Turn Away Wrath.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Last night saw an excited meeting among the labor men, who were bitter in their denunciation of Editor Wm. O'Brien. Secretary George C. McQuaid, who involved the organization in more or less of the trouble, made an explanation. He said that it had been determined by the committee of arrangements to discuss four topics only at the O'Brien meeting

First—Mr. O'Brien's mission to Canada.
Second—The plan of campaign.
Third—Home rule.
Fourth—Coercion.

This arrangement was made even before the date of the celebration was fixed. Then Mr. O'Brien refused to speak unless some changes were made in the resolutions and chairmanship. The committee submitted their report, and it was voted to ask Mr. McMackin to withdraw, and to reconsider the resolutions. Mr. McMackin, however, firmly resolved to hold the chairmanship.

O'BRIEN'S STATEMENT.

Mr O'Brien has received numerous telegrams congratulating him upon the course he took in regard to the parade Saturday night. Being interviewed he said: "I am not surprised that gentlemen not of the Irish race are not able to understand the cruel difficulties by which our case is surrounded at this moment. But I have not the smallest apprehension that the Irish-Nationalists will misunderstand my action. They know how many malignant men are watching every word or act of ours in order to torture them into weapons against Gladstone and Parnell. I am satisfied they will feel also that I have acted under a painful and solemn sense of responsibility to our great leader (Parnell), and from the conviction that any other course would have brought the utter destruction of our movement at the moment when the opinion of millions of English people is trembling in the balance, and when the most unscrupulous devices are being thrown into the balance against us. I was astounded to see it stated from the platform at Union Square that I had scored out a resolution referring to Dr. McGlynn. As a matter of fact no such resolution was ever submitted to me. The resolutions submitted to me by the committee contained no allusions, direct or indirect, to Dr McGlynn's case. The resolution read from the stand was never in any manner communicated to me. The only reference to Dr McGlynn throughout the whole course of communication between the committee and myself was the statement that Dr McGlynn was to be present and speak, and I need not say that to that arrangement I had not the smallest objection to offer. I have, therefore, now to complain both that this resolution was kept from my cognizance and that the people should have been put under the utterly false impression that I had seen and erased it. I find it difficult to deal seriously with the suggestion that I could be guilty of any insult to labor. My lot has been one of as hard toil and as anxious care as I think fall unto the lot of most men. I think I can claim that most of its energies have been spent in the service of the poor and of the workers. As to the insulting suggestion that I was captured by Tammany Hall or other American politicians, I can only say that if any American politicians had been guilty of the remotest attempt to influence my judgment in the direction of serving American party interests, I should have known how to resent it. I should have resisted any attempt to compromise our cause in the interest of any other political section in America, at least as warmly as I felt obliged to resist the attempt to identify us with the particular organization by which the labor parade was conducted. I came here on purely Irish business. I found that on one point all American parties seem to be agreed, namely, that Ireland should be rescued from its present misery and mismanagement. I should have most gladly welcomed expressions of sympathy from every influential body of Americans so long as their action referred to the Irish cause alone, but outside this limit I have, and shall always, decline to travel one inch."

### AN AFFECTING SCENE.

**Mother and Daughter Meet in Prison After a Separation of Eighteen Years.**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 6.—A touching meeting took place within the walls of the house of correction a few days ago that brought tears to the eyes of even the prison officials, accustomed as they are to misery and suffering. A mother and daughter, who had been separated for eighteen years, met in a ward of the prison, their identity being revealed by an accident. The mother was Mrs. Crowley and the daughter Mrs. Ben Seery, wife of a professional skater. The daughter, when but eighteen months of age, was taken by her grandparents, as the mother was inclined toward drink. The latter was allowed to see her child occasionally for a time, then all intercourse ceased. The child grew to womanhood, came to Milwaukee and finally married Seery. Her married life was not happy; her husband deserted her, and like many another unfortunate, to support her children, she fell into evil ways and was sent to the house of correction.

During this time the mother had not given up her endeavors to find her child. She applied to the grandparents, and they put her off. Mrs. Crowley learned of her daughter's marriage, and was told that she married a man named Egan. Determined to find her daughter, she came to Milwaukee and searched for her among families by the name of Egan, but from them, of course, she never obtained any clew to her daughter's whereabouts. Disappointment caused her to become more and more dissipated, until, finally, she was arrested and committed to the house of correction.

This was the last step of hers, and the house of correction has been her home for the greater part of the past fifteen years. She was committed under various names, thus striving to keep her disgrace from her acquaintances. The last time she was brought before Judge Mallory she gave the name of Anna Sweeney. It was the same old charge of drunkenness, and the judge gave her a sixty days' sentence and afterward made it ninety because she became impudent. Whenever she had her liberty Mrs. Crowley continued her inquiries for her daughter, and also sought information from all new comers in the female department of the prison. So it happened that both mother and daughter were confined in the same ward, each being unaware of the other's identity. One day last week the old woman began to tell her story to the younger one by her side.

"I would give my life to once more see her face, the only child I ever had, and whom I have not seen for eighteen years," said the old woman, the tears flowing down her cheeks.

Mrs Seery was moved by the story. She said she had a mother whom she had not seen since one day long ago at Grandpa Crowley's.

My God, is this my daughter," said the old lady springing to her feet and clasping Mrs. Seery in her arms, while the other prisoners looked on in amazement, supposing that the old woman had become crazy. That day they were inseparable, and through the kindness of the officials were allowed to occupy the same cell. They are together now every moment the rules allow. The mother has a month longer time to serve than the daughter, but the latter is trying to arrange to stay with her. Both declare they will reform and lead new lives. Their story has reached the ears of old friends who will assist them as soon as the prison doors are open for their release.

### LYNCHED IN THE COURT-YARD.

**Summary Execution of a Would-Be Ravisher—A Quiet Job.**

CLARENDON, Ark., June 6.—On Tuesday last a negro made an attempt to outrage Mrs. J. M. Parks, the aunt of Sheriff Robinson. He was prevented from carrying out his designs, not, however, until he had violently assaulted her and had broken her collar-bone. He was brought here and jailed, but threats of lynching were freely indulged in, and extra precautions were taken to prevent summary punishment by the infuriated neighbors. After a couple of days had passed without any demonstration having been made it was thought that the violently disposed had cooled down and that the law would take its course. The vigilance which had been kept up from the moment the negro was placed in jail was relaxed and a feeling of security prevailed.

It was, however, only the calm before the storm, as Saturday night the pent-up fury of the friends of the victim and their sympathizers broke forth and an organized band of determined men marched into the city shortly after midnight. So quietly did they come that the citizens were not awakened from their slumbers, and not until they arose yesterday morning were they aware of what had happened.

On reaching the city the mob marched directly to the jail, where the negro was confined. There were about forty men in the band, and without any preliminaries they forced an entrance into the jail and secured the object of their wrath. A rope was placed around his neck, and while he piteously howled and begged for mercy, he was dragged from his cell, through the corridor, out into the open yard. A tree in the Court-house yard seemed to the crowd to be just what they wanted, over a limb of which the rope was thrown. The cowering wretch was asked if he was guilty, and he acknowledged that he was, but begged that his life might be spared. A scornful laugh was the only answer he received, as the rope was drawn up. After remaining long enough to satisfy themselves that their victim would never participate in another crime, the mob dispersed as quietly as they came.

### "GOT A BITE,"

**And Can Not Attend the Funeral of the Late Ex-Vice President.**

PROSPECT HOUSE, N. Y., June 5.—After an early breakfast the President and Dr. Rossman, accompanied by their guides, went strolling in the neighborhood of Eagle Island yesterday, returning at eight o'clock. On his return the President received a dispatch from the postmaster at Malone announcing the death of ex-Vice-President Wheeler, to which he sent the following reply:

SARANAC INN, N. Y., June 4.

CHARLES A. BURKE, MALONE, N. Y.: While sympathizing with the citizens of Malone in their grief for the death of their distinguished fellow townsman, I shall be unable to attend the funeral services on Tuesday next.

(Signed) GROVER CLEVELAND.

Although no date has been fixed upon for the President's departure, he will probably return to Washington on Thursday next. Last evening an informal tea was given by Mrs Cleveland, Mrs Lamont and Mrs. Rossman to their friends at Saranac Inn.

The President and Dr Rossman were on the lake yesterday from early morning until dinner time, when they landed. From three o'clock until eight they paddled toward home, trolling as they came. The President got back with six good "flakers," weighing from two to four pounds, the last of which was caught by moonlight.

**Arrested for Alleged Election Frauds.**

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 6.—General Carnahan, who was recently indicted by the Federal grand jury for illegal election practices, returned from Washington and was arrested Saturday by the Federal authorities. The indictment was made public for the first time. There were five counts, but only two judges of election are named. Abel E. Davis, Second precinct, Fourth ward, and H. G. Werbe, Second precinct, Thirteenth ward, and the General is charged with aiding, counseling, procuring and advising these judges to take and carry away one of the poll lists and tally pairs of their respective precincts, made, signed, certified, etc. It is supposed that this indictment is hinged upon a circular of instructions said to have emanated from Carnahan, as chairman of the Republican committee. He gave bail and was released.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

James J. Speed is reported dying at his home in Kentucky.

A temperance campaign has been opened at Clinton, Ill.

Yellow fever appears to be on the increase at Key West, Fla.

The Kansas City Exposition cornerstone is to be laid on the 15 inst.

The Union Pacific investigation has closed at Boston until October.

Mr. Parnell has resumed active leadership of his party in Parliament.

The National encampment at Washington failed to pay expenses by $37,500.

Central Missouri Horticultural association closed a successful session at Boonville.

The labors of the African frontier commission are at an end. The commission was a failure.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT:—June, July and August, Institute will be open daily from the 20th to the end of the month. All cases properly examined, and such defects of vision as Astigmatism, Myopia, Hyperopia, &c., &c., corrected by the use of spectacles. Every case guaranteed. A new and beautiful line of finest gold frames in all desirable styles. Steel and other frames to suit patrons.

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## THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

### Bold and Successful Train Robbery on the Texas & Pacific Railroad.

### Inquest on the Body of the Desperate Military Criminal, Sam Reed, Shot by the Guards.

### Fatal Result of a Quarrel Between Brothers Over the Division of Their Dead Father's Estate.

**Bold Train Robbery in Texas.**

FORTH WORTH, TEX., June 6.—Word reached here that the Texas & Pacific east-bound mail and express had been stopped by four masked men near Benbrook, a siding ten miles west of Fort Worth, and the express car and mail robbed. A short time afterward the train came in and T. Marsh, the express messenger, was interviewed. He says that the train was stopped suddenly on the trestle over Brushy Creek, some eight miles west. He threw open the door to see what was up and found four robbers guarding the engineer and fireman. Advancing to his car, they threw their pistols down on him, and called out: "Up with your hands!"

A man who appeared to be the leader, who was at least six feet tall, jumped into the car, and said he wanted all the money he had, every cent of it. Marsh was making up his run for delivery at Fort Worth, and told the robber that he had the drop on him and could take all there was. The robber started to the safe, holding a sack in one hand, and with the other took what he found in the safe and transferred it to the sack. He demanded of the messenger whether that was the extent of the valuables on board and Marsh answered that he had it all. The messenger jocularly asked for a cigar, but the robber said he had none with him.

Jumping out of the car, the robber and his three associates went to the mail car, in charge of Mail Agent Skiles, and the leader, jumping into the car, ordered Skiles to give him the registered matter. Three packages were handed out.

After the mail car was through with, the robbers jumped out, and the four ordering the engineer and fireman to the cab told them to go on, and fast, too. The engineer pulled out and as he did so one shot was fired by one of the robbers, probably with a view of frightening the passengers. No effort was made to molest any passengers, none of the coaches being entered.

As soon as the train reached Fort Worth Sheriff Shipp was notified, and started in pursuit with a posse of officers.

When the news spread over the city there was great excitement, and hundreds of men offered to join the pursuing party. A second posse started about ten o'clock.

The express messenger says he has no idea how much money the robbers got. It is impossible to tell what amount the registered packages contained. The robbery was planned a good deal on the order of the one near Gordon in January last. The messenger says the robbers looked like countrymen, but were cool in their work. There was a man found in the vicinity of the robbery immediately after the crime who is thought to be implicated.

The train came from El Paso, and may have had a large sum of money aboard, but the general opinion is that the amount was not very large. The United States authorities were notified and went in pursuit before morning. Careful watch is being kept on persons entering the city on the various country roads.

**Inquest on the Body of Sam Reed, the Military Criminal.**

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 6.—The inquest on the dead body of Sam Reed, the desperate military criminal, was concluded yesterday at noon. The main testimony was furnished by General Stanley and Post Chaplain Swift, as follows:

General Stanley: Reed was arrested over a month ago for desertion and at the same time it was reported to me that he was under sentence of death in Matamoras, Mexico, for murder, and charged with murder and theft in Texas and California. I simply held him for desertion, but advised the authorities of Mexico that he might be turned over to them under the extradition law. They have up to this time made no response. Two deputy sheriffs have been here representing Hidalgo County, with warrants for Reed, saying he was indicted for felony in that county. I advised the military here to turn Reed over to them, but they could not identify the man and had his initials wrong on the capias. The deputies then decided to take the responsibility of taking charge of Reed. I then ordered that he be court-martialed for desertion. After this I heard no more of it till it was reported to me that the man was shot, and two days after that he was dead. The order is and has always been for the guards to go with guns loaded, and a sentinel would surely be justified in shooting a man confined for a trivial breach of discipline, should he attempt to escape. Sentinels are invariably tried by general court-martial, and if convicted, punished for allowing any prisoner to run away from them without doing their best to shoot him after commanding him to halt. This is more imperative where the charge is desertion or felony, and more particular orders are given sentinels in such cases. The penalty in desertion would have been small to what he was charged with. I think the Mexican authorities have applied for him through Washington.

Post Chaplain Henry Swift said he saw Reed three times after the latter had been shot. "On my third visit he made confession to me as a priest of the church. I asked him if he was willing to have any statement made in case of his death. He assented and stated that he participated in the burglary and murder committed in Matamoras; that he and Williams and several Mexicans entered the house for the purpose of committing burglary. He solemnly denied having struck any blow himself. He said an iron was used, and the blows were struck by the other fellow. I did not ask him the name, but infer he was the other deserter. After escaping from prison he crossed the border to Texas, and was in this State till the time of his arrest. He referred to a man named Magee, who was a Methodist local preacher and has a dairy ranch near here. He was with him several weeks after his escape. I asked him about California. He said he had no time to get to California, and denied committing any crime in that State. He stated his name was S. G. Reed. He came from Montgomery, Ala., and was acquainted with some people I knew. He didn't know where Williams was, but he was in town when he was arrested."

The verdict of the jury was that Reed came to his death by gun-shot wounds inflicted by the guards in the lawful discharge of their duty.

**Sad Result of a Feud Between Brothers.**

FULTON, Mo., June 5.—Caldwell township, ten miles south of here, is in a high state of excitement caused by a shooting affray between two brothers, Fielding M. Bush and Allen Bush, both farmers and stockmen, residing near each other. There has been bad blood existing between these two brothers for a number of years, caused by the division of their father's estate, the late Jordan Bush. Both these men being pretty well posted in the law, occasionally take a case in the magistrate's court. Friday a case was tried in which the two brothers were opposing counsel. They left Fulton, but not together, in the evening, and about sunset the wife of Fielding M. Bush heard a pistol shot out in the road, just in front of her residence. She heard her husband cry out and as she ran out of the house saw Allen Bush ride away. No one saw the shooting except the two men. But one shot was fired. F. M. Bush was shot in the center of the breast. Physicians were called in, but failed to find the bullet.

Last evening the wounded man was under the influence of opiates and was breathing badly. Allen Bush went to 'Squire Lanley's, in the neighborhood, and gave himself up for trial, but, under the circumstances, it was deemed advisable to put the preliminary examination off till the 17th, as the wounded man was in no condition to give testimony. Allen Bush gave bond in the sum of $1,500 to appear for trial on that day.

**Oberlin, O., Visited by a Water-Spout.**

CLEVELAND, O., June 6.—At Oberlin, O., yesterday afternoon during a thunder-storm, which swept over the northern part of the State, much damage was done by a cloud-burst, or water-spout. When the storm was at its height an immense volume of water came down suddenly, swelling to a raging torrent the little creek which flows through the town. The stream rose several feet within a few minutes, flooding the streets, filling cellars, and in many cases driving persons to the upper stories of their dwellings. One house was floated from its foundation, and havoc was played by the water in two lumber yards. Three hundred feet of the Lake Shore railroad track was washed away and one passenger train was stopped. The flood subsided almost as quickly as it came. It is impossible to tell now the exact amount of damage, but it will probably be $15,000 to $20,000.

LATER DETAILS.

Oberlin has been wild with excitement over the flood caused by the terrible rainstorm yesterday afternoon. Shortly after noon rain began to pour down in torrents, continuing without cessation until after four o'clock. Plumb creek had risen to an alarming extent and the water carried away all of the town bridges and rose several feet above the floors of houses on Professor, Mill, Main and Pleasant streets. Many persons were compeled to take refuge in the top stories of houses. Dr. Bunce's office was loosened from its underpinning and floated several feet. The gas works were covered largely with water and considerable damage was done. Gilchrist's lumber yard and planing mill suffered great damage, lumber floating in all directions, and large logs from Swift's lumber yard floated around, jamming against buildings on all sides. The front of the carriage works was completely blocked with lumber, logs and refuse.

Nearly all the houses in this region suffered much damage, in respect to furniture especially. From the corner of Elm and Professor streets looking toward the depot there was nothing visible but water for two blocks. Trains are blocked up, and the three o'clock train was compeled to go back. About three hundred yards of track was washed away. Nearly all the cellars of the stores are flooded, causing thousands of dollars' worth of damage.

### BASE BALL.

**Games Played Saturday, June 4, 1887.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Indianapolis—Pittsburghs, 5; Maroons, 4.
Washington—Nationals, 4; New Yorks, 1.
Detroit—Chicagos, 2, Detroits, 1.
Philadelphia — Bostons, 3; Philadelphias, 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

New York—Browns, 1; Metropolitans, 0.
Brooklyn—Brooklyns, 14; Clevelands, 8.
Baltimore—Baltimores, 10; Louisvilles, 7.
Philadelphia — Cincinnatis, 5, Athletics, 2.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

New York—Brooklyns, 10; Clevelands, 9.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Denver—Topekas, 15; Denvers, 10.
Omaha—Leavenworths, 9; Omahas, 8.
Lincoln—Lincolns, 17; St Josephs, 12.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Denver—Denvers, 11; Topekas, 6.
Omaha—Omahas, 16; Leavenworths, 10.

GAMES TO-DAY.

Browns at New York, Cincinnati at Philadelphia, Louisville at Baltimore.

Chicago at Indianapolis, Pittsburgh at Detroit, Boston at Washington, New York at Philadelphia.

THE GRAND SCORE.

The following table shows the relative positions of the various clubs in the race for the championship at the close of Saturday, June 4:

THE LEAGUE.

| Clubs. | Played. | Won. | Lost. | Per Cent. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 30 | 21 | 9 | .700 |
| Boston | 31 | 21 | 10 | .677 |
| New York | 32 | 18 | 14 | .562 |
| Philadelphia | 31 | 16 | 15 | .516 |
| Chicago | 28 | 13 | 15 | .464 |
| Pittsburgh | 27 | 12 | 15 | .444 |
| Washington | 25 | 10 | 15 | .400 |
| Indianapolis | 31 | 7 | 24 | .225 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| Clubs | Played. | Won. | Lost. | Per Cent. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 36 | 31 | 5 | .861 |
| Baltimore | 34 | 21 | 13 | .617 |
| Louisville | 37 | 20 | 17 | .540 |
| Athletics | 35 | 18 | 17 | .514 |
| Cincinnati | 38 | 19 | 19 | .500 |
| Brooklyn | 33 | 16 | 17 | .454 |
| Cleveland | 33 | 8 | 25 | .242 |
| Metropolitan | 32 | 6 | 26 | .187 |

There is an Irish Wesleyan conference at Belfast this week.

Indian Commissioner Atkins has ruled adversely on Captain La Barge's claim for Missouri service in 1863.

There is to be a monster demonstration in New York in honor of Dr. McGlyan on the anniversary of the battle of Waterloo.

Citizens of the Indian Territory are petitioning United States Indian Agent Owen to expel T. Milton Turner from the Territory.

Florida has appealed to the general government to give such aid as allowable in stopping the spread of yellow fever there.

A sensational story comes from San Francisco that South Pacific convicts are being liberated and shipped to the United States.


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## FOREIGN NEWS.

### Gladstone in Wales--The Irish Question Discussed Before Sympathizing Hearers.

### Collapse of a Russian Theater Containing Two Thousand Spectators --Hundreds Killed.

### Entertained by the Senate and House of Burgesses--A Bid for the Tobacco Monopoly of Spain.

**England.**

THE BANQUET TO MR. GLADSTONE.

LONDON, June 5.—In a speech at the banquet at Swansea last night Mr. Gladstone said that the home rule proposal was a restorative measure aimed at recalling an institution ruthlessly and criminally terminated at the end of the last century. Lord Hartington, he said, was called a moderate Liberal, yet his action tended to the extinction of moderate Liberalism. Mr. Chamberlain, on the other hand, had acted more in conformity with his general creed, yet his opposition aimed to drive the Liberals into a position which would accentuate the strength of radicalism, and coercion itself seemed likely to be blocked by his attempt to ruin a man having the confidence of 6,000,000 of people and assailed by weapons, the use of which was resented with indignation and contempt by all right-minded persons. Mr. Trevelyan, Mr. Gladstone said, had suggested a conference between Lord Hartington and himself (Gladstone) which he would accepted if invited.

Referring to Irish representation in the Westminster Parliament, he expressed his conviction that the management of strictly Irish affairs by strictly Irish authority would be really effective and acceptable to the Irish nation, leaving the retention of Irish members a subsidiary matter. What was wanted was a clear character for England, which had been disgraced throughout the world by her treatment of Ireland for seven centuries. He was unable at present to suggest a mode of representation when home rule should be established, but that difficulty should not impede the settlement of the question. The present union was one of manacles, and if the golden opportunity now offered to strike them off should be unheeded, it might not return. God grant, he said, that the government avoid that mischief. He had never made the question of the exclusion of the Irish members essential, and would accept any effective measure of home rule subject to the supremacy of Parliament and the unity of the empire.

Mr. Gladstone said it was strange that Lord Salisbury should complain that the gigantic engine of obstruction which was wielded by men who have the honor of belonging to the minority should so miserably fail, and that after the election the whole Tory press pronounced home-rule extinguished and dead. Mr Gladstone then humorously compared Lord Salisbury to Mrs. St. Clair in the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" of Mrs. Stowe. He was always lamenting that Ireland did not accept her flogging quietly. Mr. Gladstone contended that the Home-Rule question was in reality a Conservative measure, but unhappily the Tories deemed it their duty to encounter it with the firmest and most determined opposition. It has been said that I refused to modify any of the Irish proposals, yet when I gave it as my view that a safe land-purchase measure could be framed which would be acceptable, perhaps, to the Tories, and a measure that would not involve the imperial credit, not a single speech or letter on the subject emanated from our opponents. Nor has the proposed amendment been in any way noticed. There are many statesmen opposing home rule. They argue that if Scotland should require a parliament of her own, Scotchmen would be excluded from Westminster. This, of course, is absurd. If such a desire exists here in Wales, there is good ground given to the desire for union, and they may gain from this whatever satisfaction the circumstances permit.


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See our Figured Lawns, at 4c and 5c.
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See our Plain, Striped and Crinkled Seersuckers, at 12½c.
See our Plaid and Checked Ginghams, at 6¼c to 12½c.
See our Black Silks, at 50c to $3.
See our Colored Silks, at 50c to $2.
See our Black and Colored Silk Gloves, at 25c.
See our Black, White, Cream, Pink, Blue and Tan Silk Mits, at 25c.
See our Black, Brown and Tan Five-Button Kids, at 60c.
See our Turkey Red Table cloth, at 25c to 60c.
See our Unbleached Table Linen, at 25c to 80c.
See our Bleached Table Linen, at 50c to $1.50.
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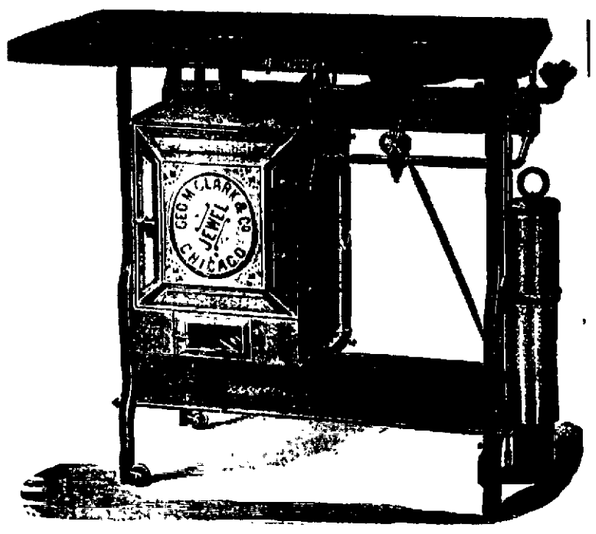


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MONDAY EVE., JUNE 6, 1887.


## LOCAL NEWS.

MAJOLICA WARE—Special bargains in this line of ware at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

THE circus bills are gaudy.

COURT is in session this afternoon.

DECATUR at Champaign to-morrow,

FISHING parties visit the river daily.

BAND music at Oakland Park to-night.

LOCAL dramatic talent at the opera house this week.

JUDGE HUGHES will arrive from Mattoon this afternoon and open court.

THIS is the last day and evening for the Battle of Gettysburg picture.

TWO BIG games of base ball this week. Douthett and Golden will play.

STOP at J. Lytle & Co.'s handy grocery store in Opera block. There you will find tempting supplies for the table.

AT MAROA this summer $2015 is to be expended in enlarging the school house. Make room for the children.

THE Jewel oil stove is the one you should buy. It is on sale at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

RELIABLE family groceries for cash at Niedermyer's Mound store.

THE Edmond street Sunday school will picnic at Oakland Park Thursday next.

You will like White Foam family flour. All leading grocers sell it.

THE county board of supervisors will meet on Tuesday, June 14th.

J. H. KABRICK has sold his residence property on North Water street to Mrs. Mary Marcott for $3,000. Mr. Kabrick will occupy the property till April, 1888.

DANDY side-bar buggies for the money at D. F. Hamsher's shop. See the styles and learn low prices.

ELECTION for member of the Board of Education to-morrow at Albert Barnes' office.

BIG free lunch at Downing's place on East Main street all day Thursday. 6-d3

MRS. C. A. EWING gave a delightful musicale Saturday evening at her home in honor of Miss Lay, of the Schubert Quartette. The company included all the musical artists of the city.

TELEPHONE to Smith & Son for Nickey butter and good groceries.

THE rehearsals for the home dramatic festival this week are progressing nicely.

BILLY MYERS, of Streator, Ill., and Jack Gallagher, of Buffalo, have made a match to fight to a finish June 17, Marquis of Queensberry rules, for $250 a side, the fight to take place within fifty miles of Streator. Billy is the little giant well known among the sports in Decatur.

PATRONIZE Hanks & Patterson at 143 South Water street. Family groceries, berries and vegetables to suit you.

THE Rev. J. S. Hutchinson of the United Brethren Church, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, and delivered an able sermon. He had a large congregation.

HARVEY DOWNING is now in charge of the McKay saloon, having purchased the place last week. He will make it pleasant for callers and serve them with the very best in the refreshment line. 6-d6

FRESH lake fish and vegetables in great variety are leading specialties at Knode & Osborne's store.

THIS morning the Maude Atkinson troupe left for Pekin to fill a week's engagement. They will probably give a number of light comedy plays at Oakland Park theatre on July 4th, forenoon, afternoon and night. Why not?

WHITE LOAF flour can be had at all leading grocery stores. It sells rapidly.

ANOTHER row has started in the Indianapolis Directory. One of their members, Mr. Schwabacher, has resigned, and Mr. Treat threatens to follow suit. Mr. Fogerty, of Philadelphia, has been succeeded as manager.

THE Macedonia Baptist Church will give a sociable on Thursday night, June 9th, for the benefit of the church. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Admission 10 cents; children under ten years, 5c. dtd

THE Pianos and Organs sold by Prescott, have been for many years in the market, and always found as represented. Examine his stock before placing your orders and you will be sure to buy.

### Just Received,

A fresh invoice of *Parasols*, comprising some 300 or more of *the handsomest, most perfect in make and style* of any similar lot of merchandise we ever handled. They are "daisies," from the cheapest to the best. We will sell them as cheap, and cheaper than some of the "job lot" parasols that are being sold by some of our competitors.

CHEAP STORE,
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18 Merchant St. 2-d6w1

6½c is our present price for Crinkled Seersuckers, formerly sold at 10c per yard. CHEAP STORE.
18 2-d6w1

### A New Deal.

Some time ago R. E. Pratt and John H. Pridemore purchased the interest of Frank Haley in the baggage and transfer business in Decatur, and they are now in full charge of the business. They have been granted a state license to incorporate under the name of the Decatur Baggage and Transfer Company, capital stock, $3,000. The stables of the company will be on West Wood street, on Mr. Pratt's lot. They will have a new wagon out in a few days with a new transfer wagon of improved make. By prompt attention to all calls the company hopes to merit all the hotel and other transfer business in the city.

### Died in Chicago.

Charles E. Dillehunt, son of Mrs. Kate Dillehunt, died of consumption in Chicago on Saturday last aged 38 years. The body was brought to Decatur Sunday morning and taken to the residence of H. F. Dillehunt, No. 524 East Marietta street. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from Stapp's Chapel, Rev. Stevens officiating, and the interment took place in Greenwood. B. F. Mills, G. W. Ruckle, Sol. Ray, Ben. Blakeny, Allen Blakeny and Joe Hughes served as pall bearers. The father of the deceased was S. S. Dillehunt who died in Decatur in 1867. Mrs. Dillehunt is grateful to all friends for their sympathy and assistance.

### Won the Scholarship.

At the close of the commencement exercises of the High School, Supt. Gastman before the large audience announced that James A. Winslow of the graduating class, had won the scholarship prize, giving him reduced tuition rates in the Adrian College, Adrian, Mich. James is a son of J. T. Winslow, of Illini township, and was awarded the prize because his scholarship average was higher than that of any one of the 31 other members of the class.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Walter Wills, late of Mattoon, is a new clerk at the New Deming hotel.

Mrs. E. W. Anderson was at Pana on Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Peddecord is in improved health. She is able to move about.

Mrs. C. B. Prescott has been seriously ill for some days.

Dr. James Prestley, of Chicago, was in the city over Sunday, visiting his parents and friends.

Miss Eliza Hull, who has been visiting Miss Della Walton at Jacksonville, arrived home Saturday.

Miss Anna Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cox, is visiting at Springfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Maud Jefferson, of Toledo, O., is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Brockway.

Miss Sarah McAllister, of Jacksonville, is in the city visiting her friend, Miss Leonora Fields.

Mrs. K. Harwood is entertaining Mrs. Ezra Buss and daughter, of Springfield, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Tupper left on Sunday for Philadelphia, where Mr. T. will make an engagement to go on the stage during the next season.

Dr. J. Brown has gone to Chicago, as a delegate to the American Medical Association, and will be absent until Saturday.

Oscar F. McKim, formerly of Decatur, now principal of a Normal school in Kansas, paid the REPUBLICAN a call Saturday evening.

Miss Annie Robinson, sister of A. S. Robinson, will graduate from the high school at Jacksonville, Florida, this week. The subject of her essay is "Beacon Lights."

Judge Tipton, of Bloomington, is in the city, to be present at the opening of the circuit court. In company with Mr. Herrick, of Farmer City, the genial Judge paid the REPUBLICAN a call.

NEARLY 300 Decatur and Maroa people left Decatur for Terre Haute on the T. H. & P. dollar excursion train Sunday morning. The attraction was the opening of a new park. Coming back there was a sensation at Paris, when a drunken party had a quarrel with another boozy chap in a car. The d. p. drew a revolver and blazed away at boozy chap, but before the shot was fired by-standers caught the man's arm and prevented a murder. The bullet caromed on the stove in the corner of the car. The man was arrested and put in the jail at Paris.

THE funeral of James, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, took place Sunday forenoon from the family residence, No. 721 South Colfax street, Mr. McCarty conducting the services.

THE party who took that silk umbrella from the W. F. Colladay porch Sunday evening, is requested to return the same at once to 216 West William street, in which case there will be no agitation and no questions asked. The thief is known.

### The Decatur Turners.

They had a big time at their new $3,000 hall on South Broadway Sunday afternoon and evening. It was the occasion of the formal dedication of the hall, which is 40 by 90 in size, having a stage at one end 15 feet deep. Appropriate addresses were delivered by the president, Henry Metz, and by Captain Chris Riebsame, of Bloomington, who 28 years ago was one of three men who founded the Turn Verein in Decatur. Goodman's Band furnished instrumental music, there were gymnastic exercises by the Turners and the children gave an exhibition on the stage. Karl Young sent up a hot-air balloon in the evening. It was 30 feet high and floated high in the air like a thing of life. A banquet was served to nearly 500 people from 6 to 8 o'clock. There are 108 members of the society. All German speaking citizens of the United States are eligible to membership. Those under 30 years of age must take part in the gymnastic exercises. Hours for turning are Tuesday and Friday nights. Only members of the society are admitted to the park and hall.

BACKACHE, stitches in the side, inflation and soreness of the bowels, are symptoms of a disordered state of the digestive and assimilative organs, which can be corrected by the use of Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

### Masonic.

Special meeting of Ionic Lodge No. 312, A. F. and A. M., this (Monday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock sharp, for work in 3d.

H. C. CROSTHWAIT, W. M.
J. C. HOSTETLER, Sec.

### A Good Location.

The well-appointed three-story store room at the southeast corner of the city park and Franklin street, that has been occupied by Scoville as a furniture store, is for rent to a good tenant. Apply to the owner, Samuel McRoberts, for further particulars. jun4-d1m

### The Decatur Club.

They met the Platts at Danville in the presence of a large crowd, with ugly looking clouds swinging around in the southeast. At the end of the first inning, Godey Shoaff umpire, the score was 3 to 1 in favor of Decatur, when the clouds burst and the rain came down in torrents sending everybody to shelter and putting an end to the contest. The diamond was a mass of mud. The two clubs will meet again this afternoon, and to-morrow the Decaturs go to Champaign to play the Clippers.

TWO GAMES THIS WEEK.

On Thursday and Friday of this week the Central City club, of St. Louis, member of the city league, will visit Decatur and play the home team at the park. This club is the one that gave the old team a close rub here last season. Dooms and Baldwin were the pitchers. The first game stood 4 to 2 in favor of Decatur, and the second game 9 to 4 in favor of Decatur. Two pretty contests may be expected. Manager Moore, of the Central Citys, writes Manager Brett: "We played you two hard games last season. Mr. Morgan said they were the best games any amateur club had played on the grounds. You can look out for the same this season. We have the Baldwin Brothers for a battery. They are brothers of "Kid" Baldwin, of the Cincinnatis. We also have a strong reserve battery. There are five of last year's team with us, and we are playing strong ball."

### The Largest Yet.

Mr. C. D. Nims has placed on our table a box of the largest strawberries we have yet seen—the king-bee of the lot being a nondescript sort of production measuring over seven inches in circumference. They are of the "Sharpless" variety.

SUNDAY was Children's Day at the Christian church, when there was a large display of flowers. At the evening hour there was a song service and exhibition in which about 50 persons participated. There were character representations of Life, Youth, Pleasure, Fame and Religion, with appropriate recitations.

CONLEY and Lawrence made clean single hits in the one-inning Danville game, and Callender smashed a two-bagger. The deaf and dumb pitcher was pie for the Decatur club.

### In Jail.

Grant Cussins, a troublesome local character, and George Davis, a tramp who has done duty on the chain gang, are in jail with a plain case of burglary and larceny against them. Saturday evening they sneaked into the rear of A. F. Ross' store, and stole fourteen pairs of pantaloons, valued at $50. Parties witnessed the burglary. Mr. Ross and the police were notified, and in a short time the young men were in custody. Davis had on two pairs of the stolen trousers, three pairs were found in the yard at the Presbyterian church and two pair were discovered in the stairway at the New Deming corner, where Cussins had been seen to hide them, and on Sunday seven more pairs were found hidden in a machine in the alley west of the Deming hotel block. The prisoners will undoubtedly take a trip to Joliet.

### Flower Sunday Exercises.

Many years ago the Universalist society instituted floral Sunday in the church, and since then the anniversary has been faithfully observed. Other churches have since taken up the custom, calling it by various names. On Sunday the Universalist church was fragrant with flowers and beautiful with decorations of bright flowers, festoons of evergreens, and blooming plants. Rev. Sophie Gibb delivered an appropriate sermon in the morning. At the evening hour a pretty song service was observed in the presence of a large congregation. Below is the programme in full:

Opening anthem—"Behold the Most High."
Vesper service—"Gloria Patri"—By pastor and choir.
Poem—"To Prayer," Rev. S. F. Gibb.
Prayer.
Hymn.
Recitation—Bertie Spencer.
Sons—"Beautiful World" by choir.
Reading—"The Organ Builder," Mrs. J. M. Ready.
Anthem.
Reading—Selections of Last Sayings of Henry Ward Beecher, Mrs. S. Gibb.
Solo—"There's Wideness in God's Mercy," D. L. Bunn.
Recitation—Little Boy.
Song—"By and By."
Reading—"Whistling in Heaven," Mrs. J. M. Ready.
Collection.
Anthem.
Benediction.

THE closing recital by the teachers and pupils of the Musical College will be held at the Opera House Thursday evening, June 23d. Proceeds to establish a free scholarship for deserving pupils. june4-s&tm&wtd

### Miss Jeffreys-Lewis.

The public will be pleased to know that Manager Haines has made arrangements for one performance at the opera house of Miss Jeffreys-Lewis and her superb company. They will play "Forget-Me-Not." They will appear here on Tuesday evening, June 7. Of her entertainments we can give to those who are not acquainted with them no better assurance than that of the Chicago *Times*, which says: "The performance of "Forget-Me-Not," by Miss Jeffreys-Lewis at the Chicago opera house during the past week have been thoroughly worthy the attention of admirers of strong dramatic ability. Miss Lewis is an actress who adds to natural fitness for dramatic representation the willingness to work, to study the resources of her act, to follow out the minute details of its expressions and at the same time, while searching out these details, not to lose sight of the symmetry and proportion of a representation as a whole. She knows, too, how to combine close attention to details which serves to carry her auditors along with her as if they were looking in upon scenes of actual life, and not upon a mere stage play."

Seats are now on sale.

A SOUND body and a contented mind are necessary to perfect happiness. If you wish to possess these, cleanse your blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is perfectly safe to take, and is a thoroughly reliable, highly concentrated, and powerful blood purifier.

### White Goods.

We have large quantities of Nainsooks, India Linens, Lawns and Organdies, in plain, plaid, corded, striped and checked, and being anxious to reduce stock, we will offer them *at about cost prices.*

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31-d6w1

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### Nineveh and the Ninevites.

In spite of the heat there was a very large congregation at the opera house last evening to hear the first lecture in the course on "Ancient Cities" by Dr. Vosburgh. The subject was "Nineveh." He spoke of the position this city and the Assyrian Empire of which it was the capital, held in the ancient world, of the relation this people sustained to the Jews, and of the frequent reference to them in the Old Testament. It is impossible to read certain portions of the O. T. intelligently without a knowledge of this city. What Paris was to Europe during the reign of Louis XIV, that Nineveh was to all western Asia for five hundred years. Outside of the Bible we have had no authentic history of Nineveh until the past few years. The so-called histories of ancient times are such a mingling of fact and fancy that it is almost impossible to get at the truth. For nearly 3,000 years the history of this people was a blank, but during the past third of a century men of science have been at work, especially the scientists of England and France. They have made excavation after excavation on the site of this ancient city, which has flooded the history of this people with light. Here the speaker dwelt at length upon the marvelous discoveries science had made, and from facts gathered from this source he described the art and architecture, the literature, the civil, military and domestic life of this people. He dwelt at length upon the light these discoveries threw upon the Old Testament. He cited many passages that had been a source of great perplexity to Bible scholars and of comfort to infidels which these discoveries had most delightfully cleared up. One illustration was as follows: The Bible said that the king of Nineveh captured the Jews and carried them together with their king, Manasseh, to Babylon. The rejector of the Bible said, and with good reason, how absurd to say that a king would carry his captives to any other than his own capital city, which in this case was Nineveh and not Babylon. It was a real difficulty. By the recent discoveries we learn that there was one king of Nineveh who reigned jointly at Babylon and Nineveh, and that it was this very king who carried the Jews into captivity; he showed by many illustrations how the long buried inscriptions confirm as well as clear up difficulties in the scripture narrative. He closed with a vivid description of the city and its people in its days of grandeur, and then of its swift and terrible overthrow in exact fulfillment of prophecy. The lecture was a little over fifty minutes in length, and was crowded full of historical facts. The lecture for next Sunday night will be "Memphis, or Olden Days Along the Nile."

### Sales of Real Estate.

Chambers, Bering & Quinlan to A. T. Risley, lot 13 in block 6, Carver's addition, $125.

David Blalock to Catherine Martin, lots 8 and 9 in A. W. Bell's addition to Mt. Zion, $350.

Anne B. Garver to Francis E. Baker, quit claim to lot in D. L. Allen's addition of outlots, $250.

Eliza A. McKenzie to city of Decatur, right to construct and maintain water works dam adjacent to McKenzie land, deed, $400.

THE police captured four small boys last night in a box car. Each had a revolver. They are strangers here. A telegram came from Mulberry, Ind., to-day, telling Marshal Mason to hold two of the lads.

THOSE who are particular about choice of seats for Dr. Leonard's lecture Wednesday night, should have them reserved at Prescott's at once. They are being rapidly taken.

### New Fish Law.

The bill for the preservation and propagation of fish in this state has passed both houses of the legislature. It provides for the construction and maintenance of fishways, and prohibits the erection or use of anything that will prevent the free passage of fish. It also declares unlawful the catching of fish, except minnows for bait, with any device other than a hook and line within one half mile of any dam constructed in any of the rivers or creeks in the state. The following are sections 4 and 5:

4. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, at any time, to catch or kill any fish in any of the rivers, creeks or ponds, lakes, sloughs, bayous, or other water courses within the jurisdiction of this state, by use of spear, lime, acid, medicinal or chemical compound or explosive.

5. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take by any device or means whatever brook trout from any of the streams, lakes or other water courses within the state, between the fifteenth day of July and the first day of April following in each year, and at no time with any device whatever except a hook and line.

The penalty for violating any of the provisions of the bill is a fine of not less than $10 nor more than $200 and costs of suit.

### The Typos.

The members of Decatur Typographical Union, No. 215, held a meeting Saturday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

W. I. Lowry, President.
L. L. Underwood, vice-president.
Charles Rickets, financial and corresponding secretary.
F. O. Riggs, recording secretary.
Sandy Hohenshell, treasurer.
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### Guilty Fears That are Apt to be Realized.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 6.—Saturday evening at Fulton, Tenn., a small town fifty miles from here on the Mississippi river, Sam Haynes and Ben Wilson quarreled about a woman who had formerly been the mistress of Haynes. They were arrested and fined, and Haynes then crossed to the Arkansas side of the river, where he lay in wait. Some time after dark a skiff in which there was a man and a woman landed near where he was and he opened fire, shooting the man through the heart and the woman through the head, killing them. After the shooting he discovered that he had killed one Strickland and his wife, and not Wilson and his paramour, as he supposed. Haynes was arrested yesterday on board a steamer bound for this city, and is now in jail here. He admits the killing, and says he fears he will be lynched when carried to the scene of his crime.

It is stated that the question of paramount governmental importance in France now is not the attitude of Germany so much as the condition of the finances.


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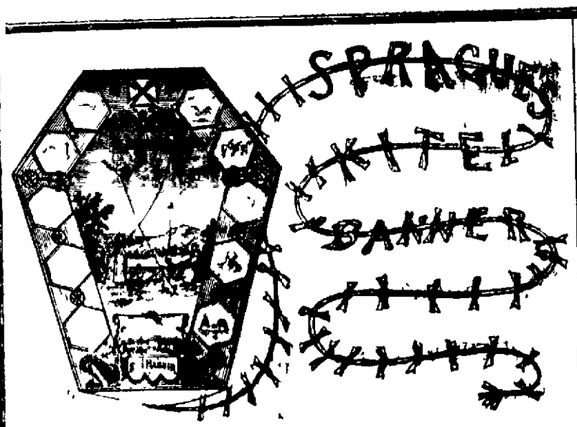


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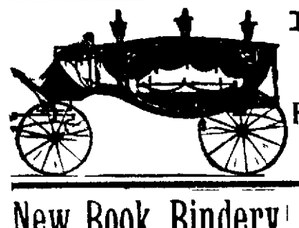

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The game was euchre, and we two
Were partners, Beatrice and I,
A darling maid, the roses' hue
Her cheeks were and her eyes of blue
Were clearer than the sky

It was my deal, the trump, the jack
Of hearts, one look I send
To Beatrice, she sends one back,
That of trump cards she had a lack
Was what I thought it meant

The trump was passed, I was not slow
To take it when my cards I scanned
"I'll take your highest trump, although—
And this I whispered very low—
"I'd like to take your hand!"

She smiled, bright pink her cheeks became—
I knew she saw my little fun,
But she was new unto the game,
And so quite puzzled did exclaim
"Of hearts I have but one"

"Then will you give me that?" I said;
My meaning quickly she inferred,
The pink turned into deepest red
Then o er her face a woe smile spread—
A low faint "Yes" I heard!

—*Henry Tulcott Mills.*

## FOULLY BETRAYED.

### Three Gold Hunters Left to Perish in a Desert.

### Abandoned by Mexican Joe in a Sun-Stricken Land—Three Days Without Water—Rescued by Custom House Guards

No mortal being, unless he has traveled the length and breadth of Mexico within the past six months, can form any correct idea of the widespread drought which has prevailed there The tourist over the Mexican Central railroad has, of course, looked out on each side of the roadway upon the vast dusty plains that stretch into the dim horizon or end abruptly at the base of the volcanic rock ranges He did not know, however, that the deep, dry basins from which he saw the dust wreathing in columns as smoke from huge caldrons were the beds of large ponds, which heretofore at this season have been many feet deep with water, and covered with every variety of aquatic wild fowl, that the banks of the *acequias*, which irrigate the large ranches, no longer were strewn with the golden leaves of the cottonwood, reminding one of Tom Tiddler's ground, that these ditches were as dry and parched as the bleached bones of the cattle strewn in the mesquite brush, that the century plants and Spanish daggers were of a paler green, and that even the giant burning bowlders in the *arroyos* seemed with all nature to pant for moisture

Last year these now grassless plains were dotted with large bands of antelope and tracked by myriads of quail Now, no game can be seen far or near, for what has not perished has migrated long since to the ever-watered districts This direful condition has necessarily been destructive to the stock, and made the lives of the *rancheros* a burden of makeshifts and disappointments

It was early in the drought that Mexican Joe, a restless wanderer on the plains on the northeastern part of the State of Chihuahua, came to El Paso, Texas, with a story of a gold find that set the three listeners to whom he confided his secret wild with the most hopeful anticipations He told of a spot far out on a forty-mile-wide desert where the sand was mixed with gold dust, and of which no one knew the existence but himself To no better subjects could he have told his story for credence, for all of them had been inoculated with the prospecting and mining fever from their childhood The dust, he said, was rich, indeed, the specimens he showed were of an extraordinary character He added that the gold lay sixty miles from water, thus showing the necessity of carrying water in great quantity on the suggested prospecting tour It took the party a week to fit out, and then it started from El Paso The outfit consisted of an intelligent California mining expert, an El Paso merchant and a man called Swiss Joe They had a good team of horses hitched to a long box wagon, and three broncbos to ride The preparations for the trip had created some curiosity, and it took the party several days to dodge the men who were found following them It occupied over a week to reach San Antonio Springs, where the water barrels and canteens were filled before entering the desert On the evening of the second day out from the springs the party made a dry camp at a promontory of rocks which jutted out into the burning desert Up to this time Mexican Joe, the guide, had refused to say any thing except in a general way, as to the location of the gold Now, he told the party that it lay twenty miles out in the desert from the point of rocks He proposed that, as the country was rough, the miner merchant and Swiss Joe should ride to the spot in the morning and collect what specimens they pleased, that he should drive north along the base of the rocky range to another point of rocks, which he pointed out, and that the party should cut across the desert from the gold find and meet him there In other words, he was to drive along one side of a triangle while the miner and partners were to travel the two other sides All this was agreed to

Shortly after sunrise the next morning the trio started out full of hope and courage What little wind there was came from behind, and the dust nearly choked them The glare of the sun on the sand was almost blinding It was noon before the party reached the spot where the gold was said to be. A few minutes' hunt convinced them that all Mexican Joe had said about its abundance was true. The sand, as far as could be judged without an assay, was rich. Several hours were passed in collecting specimens, and then the party started back to meet the wagon. Knowing they had a sufficient supply of water in the barrels in the wagon, the horses had been liberally watered from the canteens, and the party had drank freely This had nearly exhausted the supply with them It was night when they reached the point where they had agreed to meet the wagon, but no wagon was in sight. It was subsequently learned that Mexican Joe had at the last moment repented of telling the secret of the gold, and that he had become suspicious of his partners, fearing they would leave him out in the cold and defraud him of his share. This fear moved him so suddenly and strongly that in a moment of regret and despair he determined to leave his partners to a horrible fate out on the waterless desert. Then again he would be the only owner of the secret of the gold dust He therefore turned his back upon the meeting place, and took the trail back to San Antonio Springs.

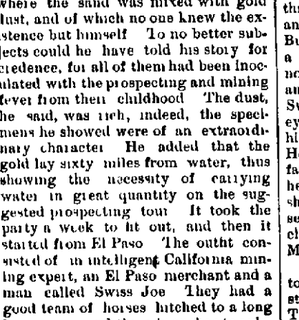
It is not difficult to imagine the feelings of the three men when they found that the wagon was not at the agreed meeting place Numerous were the conjectures why it was not there. No one believed that Mexican Joe had lost his way, for the trail was too plain sailing, and the point of rocks where they were to meet never out of sight They thought perhaps that the smugglers who skirt the desert had followed the wagon trail and murdered their guide, that some poisonous snake had killed him, that he had been taken suddenly ill, in fact, they conjured up every reason for his absence but the right one That they never once thought of They cursed their ill luck, as well they might, for their position was a very desperate one They were ninety miles from water, under a burning sun, and scarcely a cupful left in the three canteens Besides, they had nothing to eat but two small tortillas The miner, who was a man of considerable nerve and energy, at last said "There is nothing for it but to go as far as possible to-night," and the party started on their almost hopeless journey across the vast plain After going thirty miles, the bronchos, which had up to that time been led, were unsaddled and bridled, and left to find their way to water if they could When morning came the party sat down to rest They divided the tortillas equally, and each took a sip of water They had gone about forty miles. The sun was now so hot it was decided that it was better to wait until evening before resuming their journey At nightfall the party again staggled onward. Twenty-five miles were accomplished, but the pangs of thirst were terrible The merchant's tongue began to swell and crack The miner could only speak in whispers, and Swiss Joe was the picture of stoic despair All three were very much chafed and foot-sore, but the merchant's feet were covered with blisters the soles of his light shoes having been torn off from traveling on the rough ground

On the morning of the second day the party staggered blindly onward Occasionally they would sink down on the burning sand to rest, only, however, to get up again a moment later, as the thought of perishing there rose before them On that day and the third night they traveled twenty miles, and were now but five miles from water But these miles seemed as if they were a thousand The merchant's tongue now filled his mouth and throat and threatened to choke him Swiss Joe could scarcely crawl He eyes were bloodshot and he was out of his mind The miner could not speak He would stagger ten feet and then fall backward On becoming conscious he would creep under a cactus for shade The party made one mile in seven and a half hours when by mere chance, they were found by a body of Mexican Custom House guards

The three gold hunters were taken to a camp some miles off, where they stayed until able to return to El Paso The miner, who suffered the most, said that on the third day he thought he was walking through fire, and that when he laid down in the shade of the cacti he could hear running water and see a table covered with smoking dishes and iced wines, over which a little Mexican dog kept guard and would not let him touch any thing The sufferings of the party were so great that not one of them since has even suggested getting the gold, which they know is a reality It was some time before any thing was heard of Mexican Joe He is now said to be in Sonora.—*N Y Sun*

### More Mind, More Madness

It is in no way surprising that insanity should seem to increase in races or classes which are being intellectually stimulated by education. There is always in every community a proportion of brains which, being brought into action, will break down This proportion doubtless diminishes as the community is elevated, and in a very few generations the result of culture may—probably will—be to develop a better stock, looking upon the people as a whole, but at the onset of the educationary process, and in the generation first taught, the immediate result must be a considerable number of wreckings. This general principle is applicable to all races, peoples and classes, and it explains why the first effect of trying to elevate the negroes has been to produce an apparent increase of insanity among them—*Lancet.*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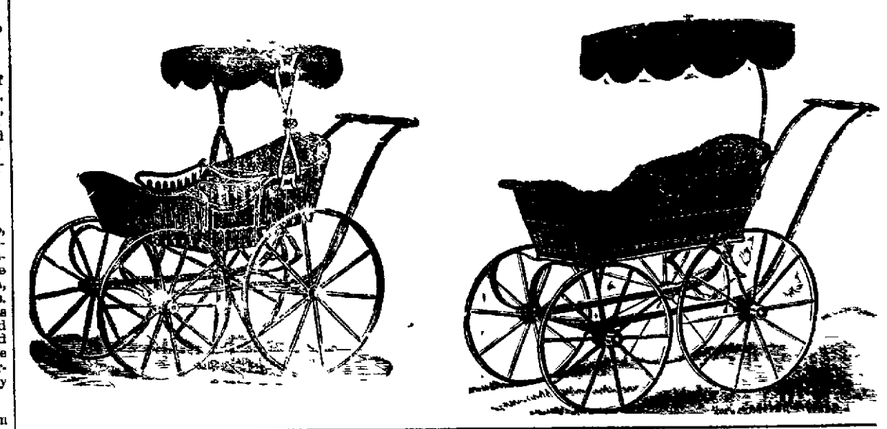


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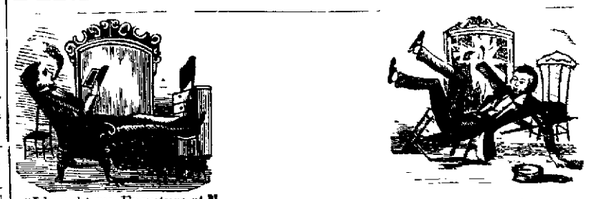


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(NOTE—Figures denote time of arrival and departure)

| FROM ST LOUIS | | FROM ST LOUIS | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 10 Pass | 3 05 p m | No 3 Pass | 6 45 a m |
| No 4 Pass | 11 50 a m | No 43 Pass | 3 45 a m |
| No 42 Pass | 10 05 p m | No 5 Pass | 4 05 p m |
| No 2 Pass | 11 50 p m | No 71 Freight | 6 00 a m |
| No 60 Freight | 5 45 p m | | |

| FROM QUINCY | | TO QUINCY | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 42 Pass | 10 45 p m | No 43 Pass | 4 50 a m |
| No 44 Pass | 10 55 a m | No 42 Pass | 4 15 p m |
| No 18 Acc | 6 55 p m | No 47 Acc | 6 50 a m |
| No 60 Freight | 10 45 a m | No 71 Freight | 12 30 p m |

| FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT | | TO TOLEDO & DETROIT | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 41 Pass | 1 50 a m | No 46 Pass | 5 00 a m |
| No 45 Pass | 3 5 p m | No 44 Pass | 11 15 a m |
| No 41 Pass | 10 25 p m | No 42 Pass | 10 10 p m |
| No 71 Freight | 5 15 p m | No 60 Freight | 9 30 a m |

| FROM CHICAGO | | TO CHICAGO | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 44 Pass | 3 35 a m | No 43 Pass | 1 [illegible] a m |
| No 5 Pass | 2 50 p m | No 41 Pass | 11 [illegible] a m |
| No 47 from Monticello | 6 40 a m | No 48 to Monticello | 7 00 p m |

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL

| NORTH | | SOUTH | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 1 Pass | 7 30 a m | No 2 Pass | 5 0 p m |
| No 4 Pass | 12 41 a m | No 3 Pass | 10 [illegible] a m |
| No 1 Pass | 2 40 p m | No 11 Freight | 9 00 a m |
| No 10 Freight | 4 10 p m | No 7 (Sunday only) | 11 25 a m |
| No 8, Champaign | 10 00 a m | No 8, Champaign time leaves | 3 15 p m |

### INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & SPRINGFIELD.

| ARRIVE | | DEPART | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 1 Pass | 3 00 p m | No 2 Pass | 11 05 a m |
| No 3 Pass | 8 05 a m | No 4 Pass | 10 50 p m |
| No 15 Freight | 9 00 a m | No 1 Freight | 6 00 a m |
| No 11 | 7 40 p m | No 14 | 6 30 p m |

### PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 1 Pass | 3 10 p m | No 2 Pass | 10 52 a m |
| No 3 Pass | 6 40 a m | No 4 Pass | 10 17 p m |
| No 15 Freight | 10 45 a m | No 14 Freight | 4 15 p m |

### TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA

| WEST | | EAST | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 1 Pass | 11 45 a m | No 2 Pass | 11 45 a m |
| No 3 Freight | 5 00 a m | No 4 Freight | 4 50 a m |

## Election Notice.

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION
DECATUR, ILL May 26 1887

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